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SUBJECT: ECAC PROPOSAL FOR MEETING - 11

REF: STATE 047055

1. AFTER CHECKING WITH RABEN (PRESIDENT OF ECAC) AND OTHER PRINCIPAL PARTICIPANTS IN NOISE TALKS, DOZ CALLED BACK CIVIL AIR ATTACHE NOON FEBRUARY 24 TO REPORT WIDESPREAD CONCERN ABOUT 3 P.M. APPOINTMENT MARCH 17 WITH FAA ADMINISTRATOR BOND AS ALL THE EUROPEANS MUST LEAVE DOWNTOWN WASHINGTON BY THAT HOUR TO MAKE FLIGHTS BACK HOME EITHER FROM DULLES OR FROM NEW YORK. ALL VERY MUCH HOPE THAT BOND MEETING MIGHT BE HELD EARLIER THAT DAY. AS AN ALTERNATIVE, MEETING WITH BOND MIGHT TAKE PLACE ON MARCH 16 AND RABEN WOULD TEMPORARILY TURN OVER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE ECAC CHARTER DELEGATION TO A VICE PRESIDENT SO THAT HE COULD PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING WITH BOND.

2. ON BEHALF OF RABEN, DOZ ALSO REQUESTED INFORMATION REGARDING THE CHAIRMAN AND COMPOSITION OF THE U.S. CHARTER DELEGATION AS THIS WILL INFLUENCE THE LEVEL  
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OF THE ECAC GROUP. RABEN CONSIDERS IT IMPORTANT THAT THE U.S. DELEGATION BE CHAIRED AT THE DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE LEVEL (ATWOOD VICE BILLER) AS SUCH IMPORTANT EUROPEAN DIRECTORS GENERAL (AS ABRAHAM OF FRANCE AND WILLOCK OF NORWAY PLUS COMPARABLE FIGURE FROM THE UK) ARE PRESENTLY PLANNING TO ATTEND. UNLESS US CHAIRMANSHIP IS OF AN APPROPRIATE LEVEL THEY WILL

HAVE SEVERE PROTOCOL PORBLEMS IN JUSTIFYING THEIR  
PERSONAL ATTENDANCE.

3. PLEASE PROVIDE SOME INFORMATION ON THESE TWO  
POINTS BY MARCH 1.  
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